Lose to Washington---Wrestling Match To-Morrow Night

AYERS'S PITCHING PROVES TOO MUCH

Last Season's Hurler Shows Up Remarkably in Good Battle.

RICHMOND'S LADS AREIMPROVING

While Outclassed by Big Leaguers, They Play With Pep and Snap-Shortstop Edwards Makes Most Favorable Impression-Pitcher Sloan Has Arrived.

returned to Richmond yesterday here. for a few brief moments, and during his sojourn following his usual practice, won a ball game. Unfortunately, Dr. Ayers has transferred his affections, and is

sters. There were others in the Zach Walsky, who handles the money end of the excursions; but for all practical purposes, Dr. Ayers was the real attraction. He had been properly billed, and he gave a performance that quite measured up to the words of praise sifted out in advance.

Mystery About Sheathing.

This sheathing is more or less a mystery. None of the workmen knows its actual composition except that it eliefly aluminum. In any event, the deliveries are more than a month behindhand, and when the first ship-hindhand, and when the first ship-hindhand and when the first shipparty, including Ben Spencer and

It was home-coming day for the Hillsville young man, and the buniping given that wage-earn-(Continued on Third Page.)

WILL MAKE TRIP TO WASHINGTON

When Nationals Meet Red Sox Local Crowd Will Be There. Tickets Are Here.

Richmond will be vell represented when the Nationals spen their home season in Washington, April 23. The excursion which will be run to the capital that day is almost certain to be a record breaker. Griffilth's Climbers are prime favorites here, and since there are two Richmond products on the capital manner. The latter squared the comes even closer. As an appreciation of the interest Richmond fans take in the Washington club, Manager Griffith has sent here 1,100 grandstand tickets to be sold in advance so that at least that number may be taken care of.

day went down to defeat here before Riobert Hunter, of Weeburn, Conn., in the final round of the annual nid-April golf tournament for the president's trophy. A large crowd of enthusiasis followed the match.

The match was closely played throughout. Travis rounded the turn one up, with a medal score of 39 to 40 for Hunter. The latter squared the match on the fourteenth, lost the fifteenth to a three; won the sixteenth with a five; the seventeenth on four and lost the eighteenth to a four for a tie. Richmond will be vell represented

turned away from the park. Prest-dent Wilson, with his Cabinet of-ficers and members of the foreign legations and embassies, are always on hand, and besides Walter Johnson, king of all pitchers, is usually sent to the firing pit. All of these things combine to bring out the crowd. Enoughns the No. 2 Boundary of the Pitchers of Pittsburgh, two up and one to play. to bring out the crowd. Knowing that opening day is a complete sell-out, the fact that Griff sent these tickets here

should be doubly appreciated. The Red Sox, former champions of the world will oppose the Nationals, and Smoky Joe Wood is the logical selection to go against Walter Johnson These two have met in previous duels and honors are about even.

It is a case of speed meeting speed when these two get together. Wood has recovered all of his old-time form, the form that carried the Boston club a championship in the American League first, and to a world's cham-

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FROM PRINCETON

SHAMROCK IV. MAY NOT BE COMPLETED

The Times

FOR RYAN'S COLTS Sir Thomas Lipton's Craft to Raise America's Cup Raise America's Cup Still on Ways.

RACE IS PROBABLY OFF

Workmen Refuse to Labor Overtime Unless Paid for Their Overexertion.

Gosport, England, April 11.—It is a good even bet right now that Sir Thomas Lipton will not even attempt to lift the cup this year. The International News Syndicate correspondent to-day finally succeeded in uncorking a bottle of information concerning the state of affairs existing in the shipbuilding plant of Campbell & Nicholson here, and the resultant stream of facts makes this statement in no wise exaggerated. exaggerated.

BY GUS MALBERT.

Dr. Yancey Wyatt Ayers, one of our best-known expatriates, returned to Richmond yesterday.

"The truth is, mate," said a work-man, employed by the designer and builder of the new Shamrock IV., to the correspondent, "the blooming boat is nothing but a set of ribs now—with the proper launching date already here.

now working for Clark Griffith, manager of the Washington Climbers. For that simple reason Richmond lost, and the score was 5 to 1.

Everybody in Gosport is keenly interested in the progress of the cup challenger's construction, and there are as many million reasons for the unexpected delay of the yacht's taking water as there are names in the town circular. But the real reason every one seems to have everyleded. Along with Dr. Ayers came Herman Schaeffer, comedian. At present he is engaged in the more pleasing, if less lucrative, past-time of capturing Griff's young-time of capturing Griff's young-time of capturing Griff's young-time to the work demanded by the riveters and more than a month waiting for special metal sheathing. metal sheathing.

Mystery About Sheathing.

was forthcoming that the regular hour (Continued on Third Page.)

Former Golf Champion Loses in Match That Goes to 19 Holes.

Pinchurst, N. C., April 11.—In a match that required nineteen holes to decide, Walter J. Travis, of Garden City, L. lay went down to defeat here before an

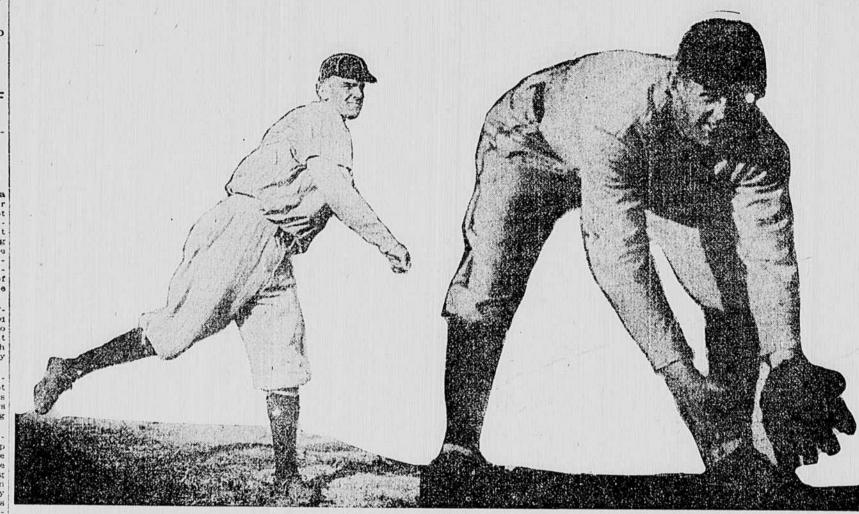
On the nineteenth hole Travis lost Opening day in Washington is al-with a second to the trap. He halved ways a holiday and thousands are the hole with four on a game pute Prest- but rimmed the cup, losing the hole of- and match.

N. D. Becker, of Dunwoodie, N. Y., won in the second division, and J. S. Nell, of Frederickton, N. B., the third.

GAINS REVENGE

Williamsburg, Va., April 11,-Wil-Williamsburg, Va. April 11.—William and Mary batted hard to-day and won from West Virginia University, It to 4. Three three-baggers, two doubles and seven singles were the result of the efforts of the William and Mary hitters. Three young men, Adams, Chenoworth and Hagan, hailing from the University of West Virginia, in vain hurled their curves against the locals. In the eighth the against the locals. In the eighth the coal miners got busy and sent three men over the home plate. Garnett on the mound pitched a credible game

LATEST COLTS TO ARRIVE



Pitcher Sloan and Infielder Edwards, both of whom are expected to prove of real value to Manager Ryanin completing his team.

BOEHLING SHOWS RETURN TO FORM

Richmond Thunderbolt Proves That He Is Ready to Start Season.

ALLOWS BOSTON ONE HIT

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] | Special to The Times-Dispatch.] | At first blush, Newport News appears to have the most formidable array of talent. Harry Mathews is trying to make good. He showed a brave spirit last season when he took hold of the Shipbuilders after numbers of talent. Harry Mathews is trying to make good. He showed a brave spirit last season when he took hold of the Shipbuilders after numbers of the University of Virginia succeeded in defeating Yale in easy game here to-day. The final score was 10 to 4. "Lefty" Gameno, the University of Virginia succeeded in defeating Yale in easy game here to-day. The final score was 10 to 4. "Lefty" Gameno, the University of Virginia succeeded in defeating Yale in easy game here to-day. The final score was 10 to 4. "Lefty" Gameno, the University of Virginia succeeded in defeating Yale in easy game here to-day. The final score was 10 to 4. "Lefty" Gameno, the University of Virginia succeeded in defeating Yale in easy game here to-day. The final score was 10 to 4. "Lefty" Gameno, the University of Virginia succeeded in defeating Yale in easy game here to-day. The final score was 10 to 4. "Lefty" Gameno, the necessary shekels, even if t means overstephing the salary limit.

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HUNTING SEASON IS NEARLY OVER

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Grace.
The hunt next Saturday at Viaduct

VIRGINIA LEAGUE TO **BEGIN ON THURSDAY**

On Paper Newport News Seems to Have Best Material-Much Lacking in Local Outfit, but Manager Ryan Promises a Real Team Before He Gets Through.

BY GUS MALBERT.

ALLOWS BOSTON ONE HIT

Thursday will mark the official opening of the 1914 season of the Virginia League. Richmond will be found at home with our very good enemy, Petersburg; Norfolk will try conclusions with Portsmouth, while Roanoke and Newport News clash. So far as can be gleaned on the surface, all of the managers are satisfied with their teams. They are making no boasts as to what they will accomplish, but they are satisfied.

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Scores Himself—Blossom
Stars for Yale. must become dissatisfied.

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secured. Mr. Elliott realizes, as every members of the team and discussed good business man must realize, that them, as we thought, with lenlency. good business man must realize, that a winner is a mighty good asset if baseball is to be profitable. Norfolk, like Richmond, is none too fond of the brand of baseball furnished by the Virginia League. The city has grown, and with its growth feels that it is a little too big for Class C company. However, a winning ball club will do much to offset this feeling. Therefore, it is almost certain that if money can buy ball players, Norfolk will have them.

Next to the last hunt of the season by the Deep Run Hunt was held yesterday, the meeting being at Lakesdie was out, and it was quite a large field of riders that fell in behind the hounds when the first cast was made in Squire Darracott's pastures.

It was one of the fastest hunts of the season, as was proven by the pace set through Darracott's to Valentine's, thence by the sawmill to Greendale, thence to Putney's, to a very welcome seat of putneys, the putneys were seated by the sawmill to Greendale, thence to Putneys, to a very welcome seat of putneys, to a very welcome seat of putneys, to a very welcome seat of putneys, the putneys of the season, as well as the putneys of the season, as well as the putneys of the season and followed on through to putneys of the season and followed on through to putneys of the season and followed on through to putneys of the season and followed on through to putneys of the season and followed on through to putneys of the season and followed on the course lay through west-view to Colone Hall's, then to a finish over the jumps in front of the club, lier Grace, with four the putneys of the season and followed on the putneys of

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Virginia, After Several Years' Effort, Takes Yale Warriors Into Camp.

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TO STOP RACING

Oklahoma Executive Adopts Policy of Virginia's Governor Toward Open Bookmaking.

Tulsa: Okla., April II.—Under orders from Governor Gruce to stop races, aunounced to begin here to-day under the auspices of the Tulsa Jockey Club, even if the calling out of the militia were found necessary to accomplish that purpose, Adjutant-General Canton, of the Oklahoma National Guard, late to-day conferred with District Judge Roe and Captain Gilmore, of the local militia company, Later neither he nor the other conferres would make a statement. Meanwhile, pouring rain made it impossible to start the races.

Officials of the Jockey Club deny the right of the Governor to interfere, asserting that, pending the referendum petition on a State

TAKES TRACK MEET SHIPBUILDERS

Techs, However, Manage to Win Ball Game From Randolph-Macon.

to-day, 9 to 3. The locals opened up in fine form and had the game their way until the seventh, when the Virginia Military Institute's pitcher's arm gave

Blacksburg, Va., April 11.—In the dual track meet with the University of North Carolina here to-day the Tarheels got 69 points against 57 for the Military Institute's pitcher's arm gave Washington, April II.—By bunching lists in the first two periods, netting there are credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound pitched a credible game against the West Virginians. Tucker of the mound p

BURNS IS PLEASED AT HIS CONDITION FOR TURNER BOUT

Both Grapplers Confident That Victory Will · Be Their Lot.

COLLINS THINKS WELL OF HIS MAN

Michigan Grappler's Trainer Predicts Victory-Turner, However, Is Just as Confident and Can't See Defeat-Fans Are Eagerly Awaiting

Outcome of Mill.

BY "REFEREE."

Both Joe Turner, middleweight champion wrestler of the world, and Frank Burns, who aspires to the title, have ceased work. Both claim to be just right for the finish match, which will be staged at the Academy of Music to-mor-row night, beginning at 8:45 o clock. Turner and Burns put in a strenuous day yesterday, running the roads and taking a turn on the mat, and then cried 'quits" until the referee gives the word

Billy Collins, the Chicago middleweight, who has helped prepare Burns, makes the unqualified statement that he has never seen a man in better condition than his charge. "Burns right now is ready for any kind of milling," said Collins. "His wind is perfect, and he has put on a couple pounds of flesh during his training. The fact that he leads a remarkably regular life unquestionably adds to his ability to win. (Continued On Last Page.)

HITTING FEATURES GOOBERS GIVEN AN AWFUL SCARE

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Fort Monroe.

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HAVE EASY TIME

Newport News Defeats Mt. St. Joseph Academy in Easy

Jennings, for Washington and Lee, Proves Enigma to Pennsylvania Sluggers.

Lexington, Va., April 11 .-- Virginia Military Institute lost to St. John's